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RE: Application Serial No.: 10/073,978

Applicants: Ken HASSEN Filing Date: February 14, 2002

For: ULTRAFINE L-CARNITINE, METHODS OF PREPARING THE SAME, COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING THE SAME, AND METHODS OF

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Request for Oral Hearing

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Applicant's representative hereby respectfully requests that an Oral Hearing be scheduled in the aboveidentified application.

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